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Willington Parish Council
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Date: 15th October 2021

To: Members of the Footpaths and Open Spaces Group Committee

Cllrs T. Bartram (Chair), Blanksby, I. Hudson, C. Mead and S. Mead (1 Councillor vacancy).
T. Bates (7 Non-Councillor Vacancies – must be appointed by Willington Parish Council).

Dear Councillor and Committee Members

You are summoned to attend a Meeting of the **Footpaths and Open Spaces Group Committee**, which will be held at **7pm on Thursday 21st October 2021** at The Old School, Castleway, Willington.

Yours sincerely

Debra Townsend

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Clerk/RFO

AGENDA

- 1. To Receive Apologies for Absence**
- 2. Variation of Order of Business (if required)**
- 3. Declaration of Members' Interests**
 - a) Members must ensure that they advise the Clerk of any Declaration of Members Interests by email prior to the start of the meeting and must indicate the action to be taken (ie to stay in the meeting, to leave the meeting or to stay in the meeting to make representations and then leave the meeting prior to any consideration or determination of the item).
 - b) Where a member indicates that they have a prejudicial interest but wish to make representation regarding the item before leaving the meeting, those representations must be made under item (c) of Public Speaking.
- 4. To consider a resolution to close the meeting for public participation under the Public Bodies (admission to meetings) Act 1960.**

"In view of the confidential nature of item..... to consider a resolution to exclude the press and public from the meeting in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, S1, in order to discuss the item"
- 5. Minutes**

To agree the Minutes of the FOSG Meeting held on 23rd September 2021 as a true record (attached at Item 5).

6. Derbyshire Wildlife Trust

To consider any update from Derbyshire Wildlife Trust, to include the nature reserve.

7. CEMEX

To consider any update from CEMEX.

8. Trent Rivers Trust

To consider any update from Trent Rivers Trust.

9. Mapping of Ancient Footpaths

Update on the current position regarding mapping of ancient footpaths before 2026.

10. Footpath Matters

To consider any ongoing matters relating to footpaths, and to report that the den reported (Minute Number F230921/10) has dismantled by Calon.

11. Footpath Maintenance

Update on current condition of footpaths and to consider any maintenance required.

12. Footpath Way Markers and Signage

To report on quotes received for signage and progress on the recording of footpaths.

13. Working Parties

To consider plans for working party days, litter picking etc., including the entrance to the Power Station.

14. Consideration of areas suitable for wildflower planting.

15. Consideration of options for Repton Road triangle.

16. Considerations of actions delegated from Council 140921/24

a) Benches on the canal path.

A lot of people use the canal paths and it would be good to see some more benches (I don't mean by the Dragon as there are enough there) for those who want to rest a while. If this is the responsibility of the Canal and River Trust, could the WPC approach them to see what they think?

b) Slope from Castle Way down to the canal path.

A friend was saying that that slope is too steep. I do agree. I know that there's a rail but that is not reassuring enough for older people and people who have e.g. vertigo.

c) The Village Green, Repton Road

This has been discussed several times and then gets "lost" - without any further plans. Is it possible to get it onto an agenda so previous discussions weren't for nothing.

17. To agree Agenda Items for the next Meeting

18. Meeting close

PLEASE NOTE THAT FOR ANY ITEM RECOMMENDED TO COUNCIL THAT INCURS EXPENDITURE, THE APPROPRIATE BUDGET HEADING SHOULD ALSO BE IDENTIFIED.